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Woman's Trials.

The bitter trail in a woman's life is to be childless. Who can tell how hard the struggle may have been ere she learnt to resign herself to her lonely lot? The absence of this link to bind marital life together, the absence of this one pledge to mutual affection is a common disappointment. Many unfortunate couples become estranged thereby. Even if they do not drift apart, one may read the whole extent of their disappointment in the eyes of such a childless couple when they rest on the children of others. To them the largest family does not seem too numerous.

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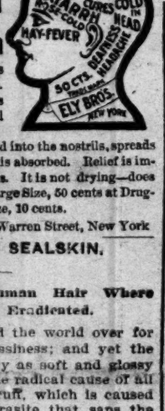

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MINISTER ATTACKS BIBLE.

A Chicago publishing house has just issued a book entitled "The New Appreciation of the Bible." The author is Rev. Dr. William C. Selleck, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Providence, R. I.

"By false methods of interpretation, or the absence of all met hod," his book says, "the Bible has been made to teach almost every conceivable doctrine and to support many a terrible wickedness—slavery, polygamy and the subjection of woman; and the tap root of all these erroneous teachings, darkening counsels and unholy sanctions has been the idea of the plenary inspiration and infallibility of the Scriptures.

"When this idea shall fade out of the popular mind, being replaced by the more valid conception, some of the perversions and absurdities of religious doctrine will pass away which have claimed, and still claim, their tens of thousands of adherents; some hoary superstitions and cruelties which have darkened our world will disappear and opportunity will be offered for the upspringing of a fairer, more beneficent type of religion and civilization."

Dr. Selleck declares the Bible should be considered merely as a piece of literature, as a "collection of ancient writings—not a single book, but a library of sixty-six different books." As to the Bible he writes:

"It contains history, philosophy, poetry of many kinds, fiction, love stories, a hymn book, collections of maxims for practical conduct, brief biographies, letters of spiritual counsel and friendly correspondence, and ecstatic visions of seers and dreamers, along with sermons that rebuke sin and plead for uprightness with passionate ardor.

"And the quality of its utterances ranges from the childish notions of a primitive people just emerging from slavery and from the moral pessimism of a satiated sensualist, to the sublimest and most comprehensive thought of the greatest spiritual teacher the world has ever known."

Writing of the traditional view of the Bible, Dr. Selleck declares:

"Considered with reference to the present age, it has been or is now an unfortunate view; it has been narrow, and therefore cramping to the human mind; it has been rigid, and therefore has allowed little room for progress on the part of those holding it—so much so, indeed, that nearly all progress has had to bear the stigma of heresy; it has begotten idolatry, and therefore made the Bible a fetich."

Dr. Selleck states also that the Bible is full of inaccuracies historically and scientifically; that the story of the creation is unscientific; that nearly anything can be proved by the Bible; that the real authors of many of the books of the New and Old Testaments are unknown, and that Christ was not quoted until a generation after His death.

SOCIALISM IN FRENCH SCHOOLS.

A new and important phase of the question of the right of the public employes to organize after the fashion of trades' unions has arisen in France. About a year ago the parcel postmen formed an association and struck for higher wages. The government refused at that time to admit the principle that public servants could strike against the State. All the strikers were discharged and their duties were performed by soldiers until the service could be reorganized. Now the government has had to meet a far more serious attempt.

The schoolmasters of several districts, notably Paris and the big industrial centers, have formed associations upon the instigation of the radical socialists, and, moreover, have joined the general labor federation. There was practically no attempt to conceal the fact that the purpose of the organization of teachers was the propagation of the doctrines of anti militarism, as exponded by Herve and his followers; internationalism, as preached by Jaures, and the general idea of the solidarity of the interests of the working as against those of the capitalistic classes. The syndicate of Paris avowed this in the following statement:

"Considering that public primary education is confined almost exclusively to the children of the working classes, it can only be profitable to them if the masters can teach them where their economic interests lie, and, therefore, it is necessary that the masters should obtain this knowledge by affiliating themselves with the confederation of labor."

After considering the subject, the government, which fully realized that the object of the promoters of the organization was to concentrate public education in the hands of the advocates of "internationalism," promptly forbade "teachers' syndicates," but as the French trade union laws are very broad, some additional legislation on the subject will probably be necessary.

M. Briand, in announcing the decision to a deputation, said: "Because of the very nature of your service the State can never permit you to act as other employes do. You are not working for an ordinary employer but for the State, and revolt against the State is revolt against the country, whose representatives vote your salary."

But, besides the question of the rights of public servants to organize in their own interests, the government recognizes that the question of educating the youth of the land touches one of the most sacred duties of the state. It was upon the theory that education should be free from every possible bias that the Catholic teaching orders were driven out of France, and consequently it would be intolerable to admit that the task of educating the youth of the country should be consigned to the allies and advocates of a particular political doctrine. Nevertheless, this bold attempt to control the education of the French masses is a noteworthy evidence of the militant character of the international socialistic movement in France.

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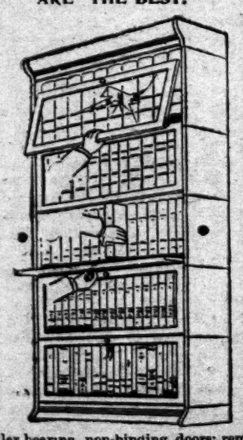

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THE DEPOSITION of Mrs. Evelyn Nesbit Thaw on the witness stand in New York yesterday has been read throughout the greater portion of the United States during the past twenty-four hours. It is probably of a more sensational nature than that of any similar case that has ever been aired in a public tribunal. The story of this young woman's life as presented in all its details affords another picture of the sad consequences incidental to taking the wrong path upon arriving at the cross roads of life. Allowing that Mrs. Thaw has told the "truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth," there are certain incidents in the young woman's career which are suggestive, to say the least. After all her alleged experience with Stanford White, she is later found in another role with Thaw before her marriage which gave the couple world-wide notoriety, they having been excluded from New York hotels. Her story will doubtless have its effect upon the jury which is to decide her husband's fate, as it has had upon many men and women who listened to it yesterday as well as the millions who have read the evidence. Stanford White was by no means a man to be admired, and his manner of life should be a warning to all who would imitate his sensual course. He had a wife and children, and was old enough to be the father of the young woman who attributes her ruin to him. Many are inclined to believe he reaped what he had sown.

ACCORDING to dispatches from Paris the socialists are endeavoring to profit from the issue now in progress in France concerning church and State. The religious teachers heretofore in evidence in that country having been compelled to stand aside by the provisions of present laws, are being replaced by pedagogues of socialistic principles who are profiting by the opportunity afforded them of instilling their ideas of political economy into the plastic minds of children. Attention has been called by newspapers to the fact that a socialistic Sabbath school has been established in New York. Such movements are signs of the times and the outcome is anticipated with anxiety by all lovers of peace.

GASOLINE is getting dearer in price, and, as says the Philadelphia Record, the rank scent of the stuff hangs round it still. There should be encouragement in such conditions for the introduction of denatured alcohol as a substitute. Possibly with the passage of amendments to the free alcohol act now under consideration in Congress liberalizing the restrictive provisions which discouraged small producers, alcohol may be put on the American market at prices that will permit of its general use for the generation of power and for heating and illuminating purposes. What is successfully done in Germany ought not to be impossible in the United States.

THE House District of Columbia committee has just reported unanimously a bill prohibiting the "tipping" of servants in the hotels and eating houses of Washington. It is hoped that the experiment will be made of interdicting this custom, which reverses all natural conditions and transfers the burden of securing adequate service from the shoulders of the landlord to those of his patrons. No tax on the public is more annoying than that imposed by the acceptance of a custom based on European caste distinctions and wholly illogical and vexatious here.

BECAUSE Oklahoma was carried by the democrats last fall and because her legislature will not do the bidding of the republicans, Representative Murphy, of Missouri, introduced a bill in the House yesterday to repeal the act admitting Oklahoma to statehood, on the ground that the constitutional convention of Oklahoma and Indian territory has failed to comply with the conditions of this joint statehood act. ! ! !

IT IS said in Chicago that a plan of Eastern railroads to increase freight rates by increasing the minimum allowance for carloads is a plan to recover the amount granted employes in wage concessions. This is but another case where the people "pay the freight."

For a Statue to R. E. Lee.

Representative E. W. Pou, of North Carolina, introduced a bill in the House yesterday providing for the appropriation of $100,000 for the erection of a bronze equestrian statue of Robert E. Lee in the city of Washington. The suggestion has been made many times that the erection of a statue of General Lee in Washington would be a signal mark of the complete reunion of the sections. Mr. Pou for the first time embodied this idea in a bill.

It is reported that the President will appoint former Governor Montague, of Virginia, to a place on the Board of General Appraisers in the customs office of New York. It is said that Mr. Montague is to succeed Henderson H. Somerville, born in Virginia, but appointed to the board from Alabama.

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, Feb. 8.

The Brownsville inquiry was continued today by the Senate military committee. The principal witness was George Jackson, who was the sergeant in charge of the company B barracks on the night of the affair. He was the man who unlocked the gun racks of that company when the call to arms was sounded. He was also one of the twelve men who were put under arrest for alleged participation in the shooting. He described all of his movements from the time he was awakened by the sound of the shooting until inspection on the following morning. He declared that he had nothing to do with the shooting and knew nothing would lead him to suspect any other man of the command of being implicated in it. He and ten other military prisoners had been discharged at Fort Reno, after being told that they were to be tried on the sixty-second article of war, but the twelfth man, Ernest Allison, an ex-soldier who ran the saloon in Brownsville frequented by the soldiers, was turned over to the civil authorities. "The last I heard of him," said the witness, "he was still in prison and on the verge of becoming insane." He declared that he had never heard any threats made by the soldiers against the people of Brownsville and that it was his belief that none of them was engaged in the firing.

The bill authorizing the construction of a railroad in Alaska from Cordova Bay, on the coast to Eagle, in the heart of the copper region, was today authorized to be reported favorably by the Senate committee on territories. This is the bill to which it has been alleged that the American Smelting and Refining Company represented by Simon Guggenheim, Senator-elect from Colorado, has been opposed because of its desire to maintain the market price of copper, it being stated that if the railroad was built there would be so great an amount of copper brought out that it would inevitably affect prices.

The average citizen of the United States consumed one-half his own weight in sugar in the past year. Figures compiled by the Bureau of Statistics of the Department of Commerce and Labor show that the quantity of sugar brought into the United States in 1906, plus that produced at home, minus the quantity exported, amounted in 1906 to nearly 6½ billion pounds. Dividing into this enormous total the number of people in the United States, it is shown that the average consumption was 76 pounds per capita. The cost was over 300 million dollars. One fifth of this sugar was produced at home, another fifth was brought from our islands, and the remaining three fifths from foreign countries. More than nine-tenths of the sugar imported from foreign countries and all of that brought from our own islands was produced from cane, and less than one-tenth from beets. Consumption of sugar in the past 10 years has increased two million pounds.

Michael J. Flynn, who had been connected with the Police Court for a number of years, committed suicide at his home, No. 29 N street, sometime during the night by shooting himself. Yesterday he had a bad fall. The Coroner says that Flynn was driven to suicide by excessive pain. He had acted queerly for some time. He had been employed for a number of years as a bailiff in the police court. He was born in Ireland.

Dr. W. Charles Adamson, of Georgia, who has been a member of Congress for ten years, is organizing among the members of the House and Senate and anti-hold-up association whose members will pledge themselves to pay no more than a certain price for board, house rent and other necessities of life.

Secretary Taft will leave tomorrow, for New York, where he will attend the annual dinner of the Yale Club.

A detailed report of the killing of Master-at-Arms Douglas by Harry Burke, ordinary seaman, on the cruiser Tennessee, at the League Island Navy Yard, Wednesday, has been asked of Rear Admiral Craig, commandant of the yard, by the Navy Department.

The sub-committee of the House committee on the judiciary today made its report on the anti-injunction bill. It maintains that the United States courts have jurisdiction to issue injunctions to protect the exercise of personal rights as distinguished from property rights and that the right to carry on business is a property right of such a character as to be entitled to the protection of injunctions in proper cases.

That the situation on the frontier between Nicaragua and Honduras is quite grave and that war between the two Central American countries is imminent, is made plain in two dispatches received this afternoon at the State Department, and the governments of the United States and Mexico have already taken the preliminary looking to arbitration of the difficulties, hoping to forestall actual hostilities.

CONGRESSIONAL.

Practically every committee amendment of importance made to the Indian appropriation bill was defeated in the Senate yesterday. The bill probably will be finally acted upon today.

The House passed the river and harbor appropriation bill, carrying over $83,000,000; passed a bill amending the denatured alcohol bill of last session, so as to allow farmers to benefit by the legislation, and took up in committee of the whole the navy appropriation bill. The House also received the notification of the resignation of Representative William Alden Smith, of Michigan, who will become a Senator from that State tomorrow.

The House committee on the District of Columbia made a favorable report on the anti-tipping bill.

Representative Murphy introduced a bill to repeal the act admitting Oklahoma to statehood.

Attacked by Revolutionists.

Buenos Ayres, Feb. 8.—Sixteen are dead and twenty-three are in the hospital at San Juan as the result of a fierce attack on the government house by revolutionists, who routed Governor Manuel Godoy. Col. Carlos Sarmiento is at the head of the rebels and it is said that he took the governor prisoner. The fighting lasted nearly ten hours. The government officials here announce today that the revolution is purely local, and the cabinet is preparing a plan of federal intervention. The federal troops on the scene took no part in the fighting. Col. Sarmiento has sent a telegram to the federal authorities here announcing the resignation of the provincial government at San Juan. He is in command of the situation.

News of the Day.

Chief Engineer Stevens, of the Panama canal, announces that he will resign if the construction of the canal is awarded to a contractor.

Mr. Leishman, the American ambassador to Constantinople, has sent a communication direct to the Sultan, urging the necessity of a prompt settlement of the question of recognition of the American schools.

The Missouri Senate passed a "Jim Crow" bill yesterday. It is a bill requiring all railroads in the State to furnish separate coaches for white and negro passengers. It allows a partition in a car to constitute separate coaches.

The Thaw Case.

The defense played its strongest card in placing Mrs. Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, wife of Harry K. Thaw, on the witness stand yesterday, and having her tell the story which, according to her husband's attorneys, caused him to kill Stanford White.

In simple language and in the form of replies to many questions asked by Mr. Delmas, she gave the details of how her acquaintance with White began, and of the various visits paid to the architect's studio; and she related how on one of these visits White stupified her with drugged wine, took advantage of her and then, with revolting depravity, made light of the matter, taking her home covered with shame and a sense of incradicable disgrace. It was this experience, she declared, which made her refuse Thaw when he offered her his honest love and which, related to him on being pressed to tell everything caused the husband to became infuriated and finally goaded him to shoot.

In the course of the trying ordeal she wept several times and once looked appealingly at the judge. Many of the women in the courtroom shed tears in sympathy. Mrs. Thaw stated that White had sent her to school and that while she was there she underwent an operation, the nature of which the doctors did not tell her. On the night of the fateful visit to White's studio she was dressed by her mother, wearing short skirts and having her hair in a plait down her back. She was then 16 years old. She told of Thaw sending her to Europe and repeatedly asking her to become his wife, and that when she had related to him the awful story of her disgrace, he comforted her by saying it was not her fault, that she was only an unfortunate girl, and that he did not think any the less of her.

The witness gave particulars of her life as artists' model and of how she went on the stage to eke out a slender income, the family being at times in sore financial straits. She declared that presumable friends of White had sought to poison her mind by telling her stories about Thaw, which she found to be untrue, and that only after her secret had been fully laid bare did she consent to become Thaw's wife.

There were read in court letters purporting to have been written by Thaw to an attorney named Longfellow, in which the writer frequently used the word "blackguard" in referring supposedly to White and in which Thaw stated that witness would be provided for in case of his death.

District Attorney Jerome sought to prevent the introduction of the letters, but finally withdrew his objections.

The truth of the statement made by Mrs. Thaw to her husband cannot be controverted by the district attorney, it being held that the only material points are whether she actually told it to Thaw and whether he actually believed it.

Lawyer Delmas expects to keep Mrs Thaw on the stand all day today to complete her story. Then will come the ordeal of cross-examination by Jerome.

The School Books Case.

Joseph Smith, of the Educational Publishing Association, testified yesterday afternoon before the legislative committee that the last list submitted for the bids by Librarian Kennedy were of such a nature that had there been any friction between himself and Kennedy he would not have submitted bids. It was suggested that the bid offered by this house was cheaper than the bid of the Putnams, but Kennedy spoke up and said that the Putnam bid was $100 less. Chairman Byrd at once asked him how, according to his statement of Wednesday that he had not opened the bids, did he know the Putnam bid. Kennedy was evidently confused. He said that a letter accompanied the bid, which carried the figures.

The most interesting feature of the day was Librarian Kennedy's request, which was granted, to withdraw remarks he made Wednesday reflecting on his subordinates and on the Richmond book dealers.

Several of the library employes will go on the stand today to answer the allegations of Kennedy in the statement which he withdrew yesterday. They will attempt to show that while Kennedy excused the statement on the ground that it was made in the heat of argument, as a matter of fact, it had been typewritten and in his possession for several days. The question will also be raised today as to Mr. Kennedy's right to use the library stenographer and other State employes in preparing his individual evidence in this case.

Congressman Charged With Murder.

At Baton Rouge, last night Congressman-elect George K. Favrot, was indicted for the murder of Dr. R. H. Aldrich. The tragedy occurred on the night of November 7, the day after Judge Favrot had been elected to represent the Sixth Congressional district of Louisiana in the lower House, succeeding Samuel M. Robertson, the ranking democratic member of the House. Congressman Favrot has been in the parish jail since the killing. He resigned from the bench the day following the tragedy, and the place on the bench which he vacated, owing to an error in the law, was not filled until the first of this week. Congressmad Favrot killed Dr. Aldrich because of a remark the latter had made about Mrs. Favrot. The general belief was that he would not be indicted, and the finding of the grand jury came as a surprise.

To stop a Cold with "Preventics" is safer than to let it run and cure afterwards. Taken at the "sneeze stage" Preventics will head off all colds and Grippe, and perhaps save you from Pneumonia or Bronchitis. Preventics are little toothsome candy cold cure tablets selling in 5 cents and 25 cent boxes. If you are chilly, if you begin to sneeze, try Preventics. They will surely check the cold, and please you. Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggists.

Virginia News.

C. Ernest Layton and Miss Annie V. Armstrong, both of Fredericksburg, were married in Washington yesterday.

G. D. Clemmer, of Lunette, Loudoun county, died Wednesday, at his home, of consumption, aged 46 years. His remains were taken Wednesday to Lexington for interment.

A reward of $250 has been offered for the capture of Algie Stokes, colored, who was to have been hanged on March 8th, for murder, but who escaped from the Nottoway county jail on January 18.

The wedding of Miss Nellie May Bryant, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Thomas Bryant, to Horatio Seymour Wright took place in Richmond last evening in Park Place Methodist Church. Rev. M. S. Colonna officiating.

C. W. Smith, who was injured while jumping his horse at the Norfolk Horse Show in October, has been taken to his home in Warrenton from Washington, where he had been since his removal from Richmond. His general health is good, but there is little improvement in the movement of his limbs.

At 3 o'clock yesterday morning, the commissary and storage buildings of the Vaughan Construction Company burned at Thaxton. Trainmen on a passing freight are said to have seen three men leave the building just before the fire burst out, but were unable to ascertain whether these men were white or black.

CRIMES AT GORDONSVILLE.

Yesterday for the first time an authentic account of the wholesale chloroforming and criminal assaulting of young women at Gordonsville was obtained. Four houses at Gordonsville were entered by unknown parties between midnight and daybreak Wednesday a week ago, in one of which, the home of Rev. F. A. Meade, two young women, students at the female institute, situated on the opposite side of the street, were assaulted after being put under the influence of the drug. The young women did not gain consciousness until the following morning, so deadly was the influence of the drug upon them.

State Law Librarian W. W. Scott, whose home adjoins the rectory and whose home was entered, stated yesterday that the most intense excitement prevailed at Gordonsville at the time of the outrages, and that it is rapidly spreading over the entire county of Orange. There is already in hand $1,000 subscribed as a reward for the apprehension and conviction of the fugitives.

A singular feature characterizing the work of the offenders, Mr. Scott says, is the familiarity displayed by them with the homes visited. The houses entered were apparently selected by men not alone familiar with the premises, but with an ulterior motive of entering only such as were inhabited at the time by unprotected females and in which were unmarried girls. Thus it was known that Librarian Scott would be in Richmond, that Edward Davenport was habitually away from home during the week, and that Rev Mr. Meade was off on his annual vacation.

At the rectory the two young girl students were sleeping in their room. The house was broken into after midnight, both girls were chloroformed and a double assault was committed. Absolutely no clew was left by the intruders, who after accomplishing their purpose, left apparently for the Davenport home.

It was at the Davenport home that the alarm was first given and the intruders put to flight. About 1 o'clock the frightened, half-stifled cry of a woman rang out. The cry was one of terror, as though someone was being smothered.

The cry was repeated and in an instant the footsteps of a man were heard in answer to the alarm, and the intruders were beating their retreat. One of the sisters was found in a complete state of unconsciousness. A light sack, saturated with chloroform, was fitted tightly over her face. The second sister, who had given the alarm, had raised herself from her pillow. She seemed to be fighting for breath. A garment, likewise saturated with chloroform, had been laid over her face. She had awakened just in time to save the honor of herself and the girl sleeping beside her.

THE EASTERN HOSPITAL CASE.

The controversy following the removal by the State hospital board of Dr. L. S. Foster, former superintendent of the Eastern Hospital for the insane, at Williamsburg, was practically settled yesterday by an opinion of the Court of Appeals, in which writs of prohibition were ordered issued against Foster and Judge D. G. Tyler, of the Williamsburg circuit. In its opinion, the court holds that the general board of directors is supreme in its management of hospitals in the State, and has jurisdiction over officers. Judge Keith announced from the bench that the State had properly invoked the courts in adjudicating the Foster controversy. The effect of this is to place Dr. O. C. Brunk, designated by the general board some time ago to succeed Dr. Foster, in immediate control of the hospital. A copy of the papers was forwarded to Williamsburg yesterday afternoon to be served on Dr. Foster and Judge Tyler.

Col. Joseph T. Lawless and Dr. Foster appeared before Judge R. Carter Scott in the Richmond Circuit Court yesterday to answer the charge of contempt made against the former superintendent of the Eastern State Hospital and his attorney in a rule issued against them some days ago. They are alleged to have ignored the injunction in the Williamsburg proceedings issued by Judge Scott. Col. Lawless succeeded in purging himself of the charge of contempt, but Dr. Foster was not so fortunate. Judge Scott dismissed the rule as to the lawyer and fined Dr. Foster $25.

The court explained that the fine imposed was not as a punishment for the offense, but to idemnify the Commonwealth for the costs in the proceedings. Dr. Foster, under the court's decision, is permitted to retain his residence on the hospital grounds for a reasonable period of time.

Pathos marked the end of the hospital case. After the decision had been handed down finding Dr. Foster in contempt of the Circuit Court and the decision in the Court of Appeals ordering him to surrender the hospital to Dr. Brunk, his regularly appointed successor, Dr. Foster arose and said: "I have no home anywhere. My house near Matthews was burned down. I've just got to go and look for a place."

Argo Red Salmon is caught in Behring Sea among the Icebergs. That is why the flesh is so firm, and the flavor so delicious.

Today's Telegraphic News.

The Thaw Trial.

New York, Feb. 8.—District Attorney Jerome had three of Mrs. Thaw's intimate chorus girl friends—Mazie Follette, Anna Crane and Edna Chase, arrested early today. Detectives are searching for two other chorus girls—Hattie Forsythe and Paula Desmond. Jerome hopes to prove by these girls much of the relationship that existed between White and the artist model, after her seduction by him.

The state's attorney will seek to minimize the effect of the girl's testimony by attacking its credibility. He will endeavor to prove that the artist model after being ruined, as she alleges, not only continued relations with White, but accepted money and presents from him and that even after her marriage to Thaw she and the architect were often together. Jerome is said to have in his possession notes and letters from Evelyn to White covering a long period of time after the seduction in the studio.

Evelyn Nesbit testified that Thaw had always treated her with the greatest consideration and kindness. Witnesses may be produced to show that the stories of Thaw's alleged cruelties to the artist's model in Paris and in this city were true.

A frantic mob of people drunk with curiosity gathered in the rotunda of the criminal court building early today, in the vain hope of getting into the Thaw trial. Many came but few were fortunate enough to step past the lines of police that flanked the court room on all sides. An extra detail of twenty patrolmen was assigned today to aid the police already on guard in preserving order and there were none too many at that. The court room was packed from the judge's bench to the rear wall, of the trial room, when the proceedings began.

Orders have been issued to the police that no more passes to the court room from officials should be honored.

Mrs. Evelyn Nesbit Thaw took her place on the witness stand again today when court opened. She was dressed in the same dark purple suit and though her manner was composed, she showed signs of suffering.

Judge Delmas read several letters purporting to have been written by Thaw to Mr. Longfellow and Evelyn. The pronouns were juggled and the missives abounded in abbreviations. The references in most cases were mazy, although Mrs. Thaw acknowledged that they referred to her.

The direct examination of Mrs. Thaw was subsequently continued.

"Did you at any time tell Mr. Thaw about the episode relating to Stanford White from the time of your arrival in New York in November 1903, until Christmas next?" asked Judge Delmas.

"I arrived in New York" answered Mrs. Thaw, "in October."

She evidently did not understand the question, and when it was repeated, said:

"He asked me why I had spoken to Standford White, again. I told him that I was driving in the park, and I saw Stanford White who said 'Oh, Evelyn.' There was a surprised look on his face. The next day I received a telephone message from Mr. White asking to see me. I told him I could not see him. He answered that it was a matter of life and death. He came to the Hotel Savoy, where I was. He tried to kiss me, but I would not let him.

"Mr. White spoke about Harry Thaw. He said a great many actresses had told him that I was abroad with Harry Thaw. He said that Mr. Thaw was a morphine fiend, and I told him that I did not believe it. He insisted that Mr. Thaw took morphine. Mr. White said that Harry Thaw was a very bad man and I should not have anything to do with him. After that he came to see me constantly.

"Mr. White made an arrangement with me to see Mr. Abraham Hummel to protect me from Harry Thaw. He said Mr. Hummel was the 'slickest' lawyer in New York, but that I must not be frightened at him, because he was a damn fool with a large head and warts all over his face. I went to Mr. Hummel's office. Mr. White took me there. I met Mr. Hummel and we talked about Harry Thaw. I told him of the trip abroad and that my mother had had difficulties with Mr. Thaw. I said, though, that I wanted to stay in Europe. He asked me where I had been in Europe with Mr. Thaw. Mr. Hummel said I was a minor and that fact would make it very bad for Mr. Thaw. Mr. Hummel told me many things about Thaw. He said he was a very bad man. He said he had a case pending against Thaw for several years, but as the woman in the case was very bad the case was probably no good. He showed me the signature of the woman.

"Mr Hummel said that Thaw must be kept out of New York, even if strong methods had to be resorted to.

"He called another man in the room and dictated to him. I was very nervous and Mr. Hummel told me I was not to interrupt him. He started off his dictation by saying that I had been carried off to Europe by Harry Thaw against my will. I tried to stop him, but he shook his head. He went on and said that I had been kept away from my mother and had been ill treated, which was not true. Mr. Hummel asked me if I had any letters from Harry Thaw.

"I told him I had. I took them to him and Mr. Hummel said he would hold these letters over Harry Thaw's head. He put these letters in his private safe.

"I saw Mr. Hummel again and he asked me why I did not sue Thaw for breach of promise. I told him that would be absurd. Mr. Hummel said there were lots of money in it and the advertising through the case would be good for me. I told him I did not want that kind of advertising, but he said lots of actresses did it, but that it was nothing serious. He said an English duke had been sued by an actress."

"Did Thaw ask you if you had signed any paper?"

"Yes, and I told him that I had not been asked to sign any paper and had not done so."

"What did Thaw say about this when you told him."

"Mr. Thaw said Mr. Hummel was a blackmailer and a shyster lawyer," replied Mrs. Thaw.

Mrs. Thaw then in relating further of a meeting with Thaw said:

"Mr. Thaw said I should not speak to Stanford White. He said I was accused of having improper relations with White and I said that it was a lie. Mr. Thaw said people would think I was a blackmailer because I went to Mr. Hummel's office. Mr. Thaw said it looked like blackmail to him."

When did you see Mr. White again?"

"One night Mr. White came rushing into my apartment at the Hotel Navarre in an excited state of mind. He sat down on a trunk and asked me 'What did you tell Mr. Hummel about me?' I told him I had told him nothing. Mr. White said that something must be wrong, 'Hummel has just squeezed a thousand dollars out of me and the Lord knows when he will squeeze another.'"

Evelyn said Thaw again asked her if she had signed any papers for Mr. Hummel and she said she had not. She did recall signing a paper in the Madison Square Garden tower for Mr. White. She said she called Mr. White on the 'phone and asked him about it. Mr. White put her off, she said, but it was finally arranged that she would go to see Mr. Hummel again. Mrs. Thaw said she was then shown a paper with her name on it, but only could see her signature. Mr. Hummel took a match and burned the paper in a jardiniere.

Mrs. Thaw said she was married to Thaw on April 4th, 1905.

"Did you still persist in refusing him up to this time, and why?"

"I told him that I wanted to save his reputation; that many people knew about Stanford White and that my marriage to him would be sure to hurt him.

"I told him that the marriage would be sure to hurt him with his family I knew it would be a good thing for me, but I cared so much for him that I did not want to injure his reputation."

"After your marriage how were you received in England?" asked Judge Delmas.

"Very pleasantly by the Countess of Yarmouth," said Mrs. Thaw.

"Did Mrs. William Thaw ever visit you in New York before your marriage?"

"Yes, she visited me several times," was the answer.

"After your marriage, did White try to approach you?"

"Yes, I passed him on Fifth avenue and White held out his hand to me, and said 'Evelyn.' That was all then. Mr. Thaw made me promise faithfully to tell him if Mr. White ever tried to speak to me again. I kept my promise.

"Some time later I was riding down Fifth Avenue in a hansom cab. I saw Mr. White in another hansom following me. I ran up the doctor's steps, but I was so nervous that I ran down again, and jumping into the hansom ordered the driver to drive as fast as possible to the Hotel Lorraine."

Judge Delmas at this point, asked the court to adjourn for recess; Justice Fitzgerald, in announcing a recess, said that in view of the fact that the jury was being held together, he would hold court next Tuesday in spite of the fact that it was Lincoln's birthday.

If exterior evidence are to be believed in the case of the Holman-Nesbit family, blood is thinner, rather than thicker than water, and the amazing spectacle was presented in court today of a brother reading the detailed story of the ravishing of his sister with a sneering smile of amusement on his face. It was a sight that was hardly pleasing to even the men who are most interested in sending Harry Thaw to the electric chair. Howard Nesbit, who is expected to be a witness for the prosecution in rebuttal, sat in the courtroom waiting for the trial to begin, with the newspaper accounts of his sister's testimony before him, and he read the details carefully. He smiled throughout, and as he got farther and farther into the sad story the smile became more and more accentuated and once or twice he almost laughed aloud. An effort was made to have him comment on his sister's story, but Hartnutt, White's former secretary, who has young Nesbit in charge, ordered him not to talk.

Recess was announced until 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Evelyn Nesbit Thaw renewed her testimony when court reconvened after recess. She told of having told the defendant that after her return from Europe, White wanted her to come to him.

"White asked me to visit him alone in his apartments, but I told him that I would not. He pleaded with me to come. Then he cried and said that I was not a human being and was as cold as a fish.

Mrs. Thaw was again asked to relate why she had been sent to school in New Jersey. She said that one day while in White's studio, and in the presence of White, Barrymore had asked her to marry him. But she had refused.

"Mr White got very angry and said, 'What could two kids like you live on?' and Mr. Barrymore said 'You don't know.' Mr. White told me that Barrymore was crazy, and that his father was in an insane sylum. It was after this incident that it was agreed that I should go to school."

"Did you ever tell Thaw what happened to other girls at White's hands?"

"I object" cried Jerome.

"The state is not permitted to controvert the truth of a single statement in this testimony. Stanford White is dead, and I object to this question which is along a path which we cannot follow."

Durand's Resignation.

London, Feb. 8.—The Morning Post of today, after lecturing Professor Bryce on his coming ambassadorial duties in Washington, says: "We ventured at the time of the news of Sir Mortimer Durand's resignation to hint that a good deal of unrevealed history might lie behind so unexpected an announcement. Our Washington correspondent has since stated that Durand's retirement was brought about by a disgraceful intrigue instigated, or, at least, largely forwarded by President Roosevelt. This is a very serious charge. It reflects partly upon the President, but more heavily upon the British foreign office. One thing is certain, its truth or falsehood will sooner or later have to be definitely established."

James Bryce will sail for New York on February 13 on the White Star liner Oceanic.

Colored Murderer Hanged.

Greensboro, N. C., Feb. 8.—Frank Bohannon colored, was hanged in the county jail here, at noon today, for murdering P. E. Beatchman, last fall. Beatchman was a foreman on the Southern Railway construction force and had discharged Bohannon. Two other negroes were implicated in the crime. One was acquited and the other, S. I. Crutchfield, is serving a life sentence in the penitentiary.

Willie willed and Winnie wheezed, while Wintry winds whined weirdly. Willie wriggled while Winnie wheezed wretchedly. Wisdom whispers, winter winds work wheezes. Wherefore we write, "Use Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup." Nothing else so good. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

Shot by a Terrorist

St. Petersburg, Feb. 8.—Governor Alexandrovsk, of Penza, was shot and probably fatally injured by an unknown terrorist in a theatre there last night. Four men who tried to capture the would-be assassin were shot. The assassin ended the tragedy by committing suicide. The terrorist, a Jew, laid in wait for the Governor, firing as he took his seat. An assistant chief of police, who rushed to the Governor's assistance, was shot and another bullet laid low a direc or who tried to bar the terrorist's way. The assistant manager of the theatre and a policeman met a similar fate when they attempted to seize the man, the policeman dying instantly. A maid pointed the way for the Jew to the ladies' room and closed the door against the pursers. There he sent a bullet through his heart.

Acquitted.

Fort Worth, Texas, Feb. 8.—Lee Randel, charged with the murder of J. P. Stacey, has been acquitted by a jury after a trial of a few days. The case was similar to that of Harry Thaw, but the defense relied entirely on the "unwritten law." Randel killed Stacey September 23, 1906, and, according to all witnesses, it was a cold-blooded affair. The dead man was found to be unarmed. The defense did not attempt to prove self defense or insanity. Instead, they introduced a letter written by the dead man to Randel's wife just before the killing. When the prisoner was asked "Did you kill Stacey, because of his relations with your wife?" Randel answered "I did." A verdict of the jury was unanimous.

Railroad Accidents.

Chicago, Feb. 8—One man was killed and twenty injured in a wreck on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad at Elizabeth street, when a westbound passenger train collided head-on with an eastbound suburban train, heavily loaded with commuters for this city. It is claimed the engineer failed to see a block signal.

Three trainmen were seriously scalded in a collision between two switch engines on the Chicago, Lake Shore & Eastern Railway, at Wing avenue.

Confession of a Murderer.

Norfolk, Va. Feb. 8.—Richard Matthews has confessed at Jackson, N. C., to the murder of his nephew, Paul Rainey, and implicates James, Henry and Sonny Barmer, three brothers, who have been placed under arrest. Matthews says Rainey was first butchered with an axe for the purpose of robbery. Intense excitement prevails in the Jackson section today, and the enraged populace may storm the jail tonight and lynch the quarrette.

Charged with Scuttling Schooner.

Portland, Me., Feb. 8.—Deliberate scuttling of the schooner Fortuna, for the purpose of defrauding the Mannheim Insurance Company through the collection of insurance money, is charged in indictments returned today in the federal court against Captain Gilbert M. Tower, of Jonesport, master and part owner of the sailing vessel, and his mate, Haskell Davis, of Jonesport. There is much excitement in shipping circles over the indictments.

Pope Rejects Proposal.

Rome, Feb. 8.—The Vatican has issued a statement in which the Pope rejects the latest proposal of M. Briand for the leasing of the churches.

New York Stock Market.

New York, Feb. 8.—The stock market continued strong with an urgent demand in the leading issues. This buying was noticed in Steel common, Union Pacific, Reading and Pennsylvania. Prices for nearly everything traded in made gains in the first hour and the advances made were fairly well held. The movement in Anaconda continued without a statement.

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DIED.

On Thursday, February 7, at 8:30 a. m., ADOLPHINE, beloved wife of the late Frederick Shaw, aged 58 years. Funeral from her late residence, 112 north royal street, Sunday, February 10th, at 3 p. m. Relative and friends invited to attend—[Washington and Baltimore papers please copy.

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Alexandria Gazette.

FRIDAY EVENING, FEB. 8, 1907.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 6 59 a. m. and sets at 5 30 p. m. High water at 4:32 a. m. and 5:05 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section partly cloudy and warmer tonight and Saturday; variable winds, becoming fresh southwesterly.

School Board.

At the monthly meeting of the City School Board held last night there were present, Capt. Herbert Bryant, chairman, and Messrs. Thompson, Yates, Ramsay, Thomson, Bradshaw, Carne, Carter and the Superintendent.

A petition of Miss Virginia Roxbury asking for an increase in pay as a teacher in Washington School, was referred to the finance committee.

Several bills for supplies and repairs were ordered to be paid.

The Superintendent reported that during the latter part of the month of January the schools were considerably crippled by reason of the sickness of some of the teachers; he expected, however, to secure the services of Mrs. W. P. H. Kelly as a substitute and she would take the place of one of the teachers in case of further absence.

The Superintendent reported that Messrs. Maphis and Jenkins, connected with the State Educational Department, had requested the board to make an educational exhibit at the Jamestown Exposition.

After a debate as to the practicability of making an appropriation for the proposed exhibit the Clerk was directed to request the City Council to make an appropriation of $100 to defray the expenses of such an exhibit. Mr. Stabler, of the board, and Col. Ficklin and Miss Ada Grigg, principals of Washington and Lee schools respectively, were appointed a committee to look after the exhibit.

The Superintendent reported that the State Board of Education would meet in this city on March 11th and would be in session here for a week.

The Weather and River.

There were "spits" of snow at intervals between 5 and 7 o'clock this morning. The mercury in the thermometer stood at 18°. The heavens later became clear and the weather milder.

The channel of the river froze again last night, and this morning the surface of the stream was motionless. The steamer Norfolk arrived about half-past seven o'clock. Her officers report having encountered heavy ice from Lower Cedar Point up.

The steamer Northumberland, which was to have left for Baltimore yesterday evening, did not depart until this morning. It is supposed that the steamers of this line will be tied up until the ice begins to move, as it is impossible to get the boats to some of the river wharves at present.

Fears are entertained for the safety of Smith's wharf, in King George county.

Stiff's wharf, which stood about a mile to the north, was carried away regularly every winter when there was any ice until its owners finally gave up and abandoned the attempt to keep a pier standing. Later Smith's wharf, the pier now thought to be in danger, was built not far from the site of old Stiff's wharf.

Assault with a Knife.

Joseph Timbers, colored, was arrested yesterday on the charge of cutting a colored woman named Laura Newman. The accused was brought before Justice Caton in the Police Court this morning and the case was continued to await the result of the woman's injuries. The cutting took place during the Christmas holidays, but had been kept secret until yesterday when the warrant for the arrest of Timbers was sworn out. The woman was cut seriously in the side, and her health began to decline as a result. A colored physician was summoned to attend her, but the woman failed to tell him of the cutting, and he supposed she was suffering from pulmonary trouble. The members of her family became apprehensive when they saw that she continued to grow worse and a white doctor was summoned to whom she imparted the cause of her condition. Later the circumstances in connection with the cutting became known. It is said that blood poison is likely to develop.

Quail.

The following correspondence explains itself:

February 8, 1907.

To the Editor of the Alexandria Gazette:

Dear Sir: Will you kindly publish the enclosed letter in case anyone desires to get any quail to turn out.

Very truly yours,

J. K. M. NORTON.

Wichita, Kan., Feb. 4, 1907

J. K. M. Norton, Alexandria, Va.

My Dear Sir: Your letter in regard to quail received and would say that at present I am getting a great many but do not know how it will be towards spring. I can furnish them for immediate shipment at $7 per dozen, but the price will advance later. I would be pleased to receive an order from you.

Very truly yours,

CHARLES PAYNE.

Charters.

The State Corporation Commission yesterday granted the following charters:

The Bank of Westmoreland (Incorporated), Colonial Beach, F. F. Ninde, W. F. Renshaw, George Mason — all of Colonial Beach, Va., Capital, $50,000. Objects: Banking business.

Southern Commercial Publishing Company (Incorporated), Rosslyn, Va., W. Clum, president; C. F. Sudwarth, vice-president; G. H. Gall, secretary and treasurer — all of Washington, D. C. Capital, $25,000. Objects: Publishing and printing business.

Police Court.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

A white man, arrested by Officer Henderson for being drunk, was dismissed.

Joseph Timbers, colored, arrested by Officers Ferguson, Knight, Nicholson and Talbot charged with assaulting and cutting Laura Newman, was committed for further examination.

Jack Morris, arrested by Officer Roberts charged with vagrancy, was sent to jail for ten days.

Personal.

The Gazette will be pleased to receive items, such as engagements, weddings parties, teas and other news of personal interest for the "personal" column. The items should be indorsed with the name and address of the sender—not for publication, but as a matter of good faith.

The Thursday Night Club met at Dr. Gorman's last night, where a most enjoyable evening was spent. After the games the members of the club adjourned to the Hotel Rammel where a delightful supper was served. Among those present were: Dr. and Mrs. Gorman, Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Marsnall, Mr. and Mrs. J. Edward Shinn, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Talbott, Mr. and Mrs. James Bales, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hill, Mr. and Mrs. S. Bendheim, Mrs. John Milstead, Mrs. James Dyer, Miss M. E Stoutenburg, Miss Ella Hill, and Mr. W. M. Donelly.

Grand High Priest R. M. Ferguson, of Bristol, accompanied by Grand Lecturer Wm. J. Hubard, of Lynchburg, will visit Mount Vernon Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, tonight.

Mrs. Robert C. Bashford, of Alexandria, is in town visiting her brother, Mr. R. E. Lee Allen.—[Harrisonburg Times.

Mr. Irvin Abrames, of Norfolk, and Mrs. Elgiva Kennicutt, of New York, were married last night at the parsonage of the M. E. Church South, by Rev. C. D. Bulla.

Miss Janet Richards, of Washington, delivered an entertaining and instructive lecture at Lee Camp Hall last night before the Cameron Club.

Alderman John T. Sweeney, who has been quite ill, was taken to the Alexandria Hospital yesterday evening. Today he is said to have spent a comfortable night and is thought to be improving.

Miss Cora Cochran gave a very pretty entertainment at her residence on King street yesterday evening in honor of her guest, Miss Mary Dabney, of Charlottesville.

The Alexandria German Club will give their last dance before Easter, at McBurney's Hall tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Dempsey were among those who attended the President's reception last night.

Mr. Geo. S. French has returned from a delightful trip to California. Mrs. French and Mrs. Richard Gibson will remain there for the next few weeks.

Runaway.

A horse attached to a sleigh in which John G. Morrow was seated ran away on Prince street last night. The driver was thrown out and the frightened animal ran eastward to Alfred street where it turned north to King and proceeded eastward on that throughfare until it reached St. Asaph street where the horse was stopped by a colored man. Mr. Morrow escaped serious injury and the sleigh was uninjured. The sleigh at times was run on the pavement on King street and several windows narrowly escaped being smashed.

"Regular as the Sun"

is an expression as old as the race. No doubt the rising and setting of the sun is the most regular performance in the universe, unless it is the action of the liver and bowels when regulated with Dr. King's New Life Pills. Guaranteed by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggists, 25c.

Committee Meetings.

Several of the City Council committees held meetings last night and considered matters which had been referred to them and which they will report upon at the next Council meeting.

The finance committee destroyed $35,500 of the city bond issue of 1872 which had been purchased and cancelled by the commissioners of the sinking fund. The bonds destroyed last night were the last outstanding bonds of the 1872 issue.

"Everybody Should Know"

says C. G. Hays, a prominent business man of Bluff, Mo., that Bucklen's Arnica Salve is the quickest and surest healing salve ever applied to a sore, burn or wound, or to a case of piles. I've used it and I know what I'm talking about.' Guaranteed by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggists.

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LOST.

LOST.—On Washington, Prince or Cameron streets, a CRESCENT BREAST PIN. Finder will please leave it at 611 Cameron street. 1t*

LOST.—On the street a RED SILK BELT. The finder will please return it to No. 115 King street and receive reward. feb6 3t

LOST.—On Tuesday, a Gold Hunting Case WATCH. Liberal reward for its return to JAS. J. KELLEY, 1401 King street, or to J. M. LYLES, R. F. D. N. 3. feb6 3t*

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UNDER THE AUSPICES OF

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Young Men's Sodality Lyceum Hall, MONDAY, February 11th, at 8:30 o'clock p. m.

TICKETS, - - - 25 CENTS.

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LARGE WHITE POTATOES 60c BU.

3 Cans Tomatoes, 25c; 4 Cans Corn, 25c; 8 lbs. Buckwheat, 25c; Cranberries, 10c qt.; Seeded Raisins, 10c lb.; Table Belle Flour, $4.50 bbl.

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Royal and Wolfe streets.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Next Thursday will be St. Valentine's day.

A marriage license was issued in Washington yesterday to C. Ernest Layton, and Annie M. Armstrong, both of Fredericksburg.

Mrs. Mary O'C. Mason has sold to Mr. Walter T. Gillingham a house and lot on the south side of Prince street between Henry and Fayette.

The second progressive euchre party under the suspices of the Court of Isabella No. 54 will be given at the Y. M. S. L. Hall on Monday night next.

The funeral of the late Eli Dove took place this afternoon from the undertaking rooms of Mr. B. Wheatley, on King street. Rev. Dr. Fisher conducted the services.

A meeting of the George Washington Birthday Association will be held tonight at 7.30 o'clock, at Friendship Hall. Final arrangements will be made for the celebration to be held this year.

The members of the Methodist Protestant Church gave their minister, Rev. J. H. S. Ewell, a pound party at the parsonage on Columbus street last night, which was greatly enjoyed by all present.

A youth named Eddie Dean while skating near the Baltimore and Ohio R. R. transfer slip at the foot of Wilkes street yesterday afternoon broke through the ice and was rescued with difficulty.

A meeting of Fitzgerald Council, Knights of Columbus, will be held at St. Mary's Hall tonight for the purpose of perfecting arrangements for the visit of the Knights to Petersburg on Sunday next.

Mr. F. M. Adams' store at the southwest corner of Wolfe and Columbus streets was entered last night and the money which was in the till stolen. The entrance was effected through the transom of the front door.

The building of a good school house in the county opposite Georgetown is said to be assured. The court has approved the purchase of a lot on the Ballston road at the top of the first hill beyond Rosslyn for $3,500 and arrangements are being made to procure the money and put up a building at once.

Mr. Charles W. Howell, the hatter, has received a fine stock of spring hats at his store, No 412 King street. He has all the latest styles.

See our display tomorrow. Everything fresh and inviting. New Beets, Radishes, Lettuce, Celery, Fancy Florida Tomatoes and other seasonable vegetables. Home dressed Turkeys, Ducks and Chickens. Geo. K. Bender, Stall No. 6, City Market. Bell 'phone 156.

Oysters fried, stewed or raw. Fried clams. Dining room open on Sunday during oyster season. C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space. feb 26tf

Husband Killed.

After tracing his wife to a livery stable and shooting at a man in whose company he found her, Charles Simmons was shot and instantly killed in Wilmington, Del., last night by the man he accused of alienating his wife's affections. Matthew Hanna is the person who, assailed by Simmons, retaliated by sending two bullets into Simmons' body.

Hanna is under arrest, charged with murder, and Mrs. Simmons is detained to tell her version of the tragedy. Hanna boarded at the Simmons' home, but Simmons and his wife separated recently, and she had him arrested on a charge of nonsupport, which was pending. An action for divorce also had been entered.

Simmons was jealous of Hanna, and when Mrs. Simmons took supper to Hanna at a stable last night, the aggrieved husband, with revolver in pocket, who had been loitering about, trailed along after. Mrs. Simmons and Hanna were in the office when Simmons opened the door, and, uttering a threat, deliberately shot at Hanna, whose neck was gazed by the bullet.

Hanna's reply to the expected attack was to draw his own revolver, and before the gaze of Mrs. Simmons he fired three bullets at her husband. One missile penetrated Simmons' heart and another lodged in the groin. With a groan Simmons fell to the floor, and expired.

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The President's Reception.

The reception of the President and Mrs. Roosevelt in honor of the army and navy of the United State, at the White House, was one of the most brilliant of the season's state levees at the national capital. In their handsome uniforms, glittering gold lace, and clanking swords, were the men who command the nation's might of land and sea, making an imposing picture against a background of beautiful women in magnificently adorned costumes. Representatives of the diplomatic corps, in georgeous uniforms, added to the splendor of the occasion. The reception was very largely attended. Mrs. Roosevelt wore a gown of white velvet and gold; Mrs. Shaw, white lace and pearl sequins; Mrs. Taft, pale blue brocade; Mrs. Bonaparte, white brocade and lace; Mrs. Metcalf, heliotrope and gold brocade, and Mrs. Straus, white satin and lace. Mrs. Longworth wore a brown chiffon with dull gold sequins; Baroness von Sternburg, white satin and tulle; Viscountess Aoki, pale blue brocade; Countess Hatzfeldt, black pailletted net; Mme. Calderon, black net; Miss Emma Shaw, white tulle and lace; Viscountess de Martel, black net; Miss Rixey, white chiffon, with pearl passementerie.

The grocers are handling Argo Red Salmon because it takes no argument to sell it and the customers come back for more.

Murder in the Second Degree.

"Guilty of murder in the second degree; punishment, 18 years in State prison," was the jury's verdict in the Hustings Court in Petersburg, yesterday evening in the case of Emmet Poarch, a young white man of that city, who shot his wife to death at the residence of Mrs. Agnes Vaiden, on the afternoon of December 31.

The prisoner told the story of the misery and unhappiness of his married life, which made him decide to kill himself, for which purpose he drank laudanum while on his way to the Vaiden house, after which, he swears, he remembered nothing that occurred until he found himself in the police station, with a physician working on him.

Mrs. Vaiden, her son and a young woman named Dotty Judkins, who were present at the killing, stated that Poarch came in the room where they were sitting with his wife and asked for a private interview with her, which she refused, whereupon he fired four or five shots.

Fifty-ninth Congress.

Washington, Feb. 8.

SENATE.

The resentment of Senators to the employment by the President of special agents, in which they have had no voice, openly manifested itself in the Senate this afternoon. Mr. Tillman presented a resolution, calling upon the Departments of Justice, Interior, Agriculture, Treasury, Commerce and Labor and Interstate Commerce Commission for information as to the number, compensation, names, etc. of all special agents, attorneys, inspectors, and employees who had been employed by them for the year ended June 30, 1906, without a specific appropriation. The resolution was a comprehensive one, but Senators who had not paid attention to the reading hurled suggestions at the head of the South Carolinian with a view of permitting no loop-hole through which departmental officers could hide the identity of the most lowly appointee. When it was deemed to be a veritable dragnet it was adopted without objection.

Mr. Culberson offered a resolution calling for specific information from the Interstate Commerce Commission as to the recent employment of Hanks and Harriman, the men who were to show that railways could afford to reduce passenger and freight rates 10 per cent. He declared that the number of purely executive appropriations during President Roosevelt's incumbency, had increased from seven hundred to three thousand. "Let us see whether our government has become a personal one or one of law," he exclaimed. The resolution was adopted.

Mr. Lodge gave notice to the Senate today that next Monday he would call up for consideration the bill providing for the establishment of an agricultural bank in the Philippines.

The Senate this afternoon adopted a resolution presented by Mr. Daniel, calling upon the Secretaries of War and Navy for specific information as to what officers and employes had obtained patents during their service, their disposition, etc. It is aimed to meet the public charges that men of high rank have made advantageous financial deals to the detriment of the government.

The Senate this afternoon adopted a resolution offered by Mr. Warren calling on the President, if not incompatible with the public interest, to send to the Senate the report of the Keep commission relative to the administration of the Interior Department.

It has been rumored that the commision, created by the President to reorganize departmental methods has found a startling condition of affairs in the Interior Department.

The Senate this afternoon passed a bill appropriating $25,000 for the construction of a fish cultural station at Newcastle, Delaware.

In his maiden speech in the Senate today Mr. Frazier, of Tennessee, used the San Francisco school case in part to emphasize his opposition to the encroachment of the federal government upon the rights of the States.

HOUSE.

Over six hundred private pension bills were considered in the House today, it being pension day. With only a few exceptions the bills were passed.

COURT OF APPEALS.

The following opinions were handed down in the Court of Appeals in Richmony yesterday.

By Judge G. M. Harrison:

Penn Iron Company, Limited, vs. William R. Trigg Company, from Circuit Court of the city of Richmond affirmed.

By Judge John A. Buchanan:

Manchester Home Building and Loan Association et al. vs. Porter, Circuit Court of Chesterfield county, reversed.

Richard vs. Jones, trustee, Circuit Court of Gloucester county; affirmed.

By Judge George M. Harrison:

Gatewood vs. Garrett, Circuit Court of King William county, reversed.

Jenkins, &c., vs Rhodes, &c., Circuit Court of Isle of Wight county; affirmed.

By Judge Stafford G. Whittle:

Lewis vs. Palmer et al., Circuit Court of Brunswick county; amended and affirmed.

Berkley Street Railway Company vs. Simpson, Circuit Court of Norfolk county reversed.

Petitions for appeals, &c.,

Southern Railway Company vs. Davis, Circuit Court of Mecklenburg county; writ of error and supersedeas, bond $1.500.

Scales vs. Commonwealth, Circuit Court of Patrick county; writ of error refused.

Hanger vs. Commonwealth, Court of Hustings of city of Portsmouth; writ of error and supersedeas, bond $100.

The following is a summary of the day's proceedings:

Austin vs. Minor. Argued by W. L. Royall for appellant, and R. T. Armistead for appellee, and submitted.

The court, after signing the orders, adjourned for the term.

Rockefeller's Munificence.

A special meeting of the trustees of the General Education Board, held at the offices of the board in New York yesterday afternoon, in response to a request for the meeting from John D. Rockefeller, resulted in the reading of a letter from Mr. Rockefeller, in which he announced to the board a gift of $32,000,000 in incoming securities.

Surprise was expressed by the board members when the letter was presented by John D. Rockefeller, jr. They were amazed at the size of the gift. None of the trustees had any notion of the object of the meeting, with the exception, perhaps, of Frederick T. Gates, who presided.

For general educational purposes throughout the country is given as the purpose of this donation—the largest single prize ever handed out for such purposes.

Mr. Rockefeller previously had given the board $11,000,000 for the same work, his contributions now amounting to $43,000,000.

In March, 1902, John D. Rockefeller pledged $1,000,000 to the work of the board, confining its use particularly to the study and promotion of education in the Southern States."

On June 30, 1905, through Mr. Gates, Mr. Rockefeller gave the board $10,000,000 in securities, the principal to be held in perpetuity as a foundation for education, the income above expenses of administration to be distributed to, or used for the benefit of, such institutions of learing as the board might deem best adapted to promote a comprehensive system of higher education in the United States.

These were the simple conditions and the brief form in which Mr. Rockefeller endowed the board.

From the income of the original fund of $11,000,000 conditional subscriptions have already been made to 18 colleges in Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Louisiana, Missouri, Kansas, Iowa, Wisconsin, Indiana, Ohio and Pennsylvania, amounting to a total of $1,077,500. As a condition of receiving these gifts the colleges are raising the further total sum of $3,262,500.

Refused to Marry Them.

On Wednesday afternoon Pemmie Tim Cross, of Manassas, and Miss Julia M. D. Maddox, of Washington went to Rockville, Md., and after obtaining a marriage license went to the Catholic church rectory, where they met Rev. Father Rosensteel, of Forest Glen. Father Rosensteel told the young couple that he could not marry them because they did not have any letter of identification from the home parish of either.

The couple left, stating that they would get such letters and return as soon as possible.

Use a little KODOL after your meals and it will be found to afford a prompt and efficient relief. KODOL nearly approximates the digestive juices. It digests what you eat. It is sold on a guaranteed relief plan. Sold here by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

DON'T FORGET—Messrs. Bloodheim & Swift have fresh grated Horse Radish for sale in the City Market, 25c a quart.

TO THE CREDITORS OF THE LATE MRS. RACHEL V. PADGETT. All persons having claims against the above estate are requested to present the same before me, duly proven, at my office in the city of Alexandria, Va., on MONDAY, February 18, 1907, at 10 a. m.

E. B. TAYLOR,
118 south Fairfax street,
Commissioner of Accounts, Corporation Court.
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POST CARDS.

Alexandria post card dealers should order their cards early for Washington's birthday. I have all the Alexandria and Mt. Vernon views. T. F. ELLIS, Electric Railway Station, Washington. feb7 3t

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Three story Brick Dwelling No. 207 Prince street, with very large side lot. House contains twelve rooms with two bath rooms, and is in first class condition.

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This Week Special Sale of

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6-quart Cook Pots	25c
12-quart Cook Pots	50c
2-quart Tea Pots	25c
2-quart Coffee Pots	25c
Family size Wash Basins	10c
Large size Wash Basins	15c
4-quart Bake Pans	10c

Sleds.

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This coupon and $1 98 entitles the bearer to a Storm King Flexible Flyer Sled worth $2.98.

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Good values in 50c and 60c GUNPOWDER and FORMOSA TEAS, just received by J. C. MILBURN.

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125 to 131 NORTH PITT STREET.

I desire to announce to my friends and the public that I have assumed the management of the "Chatham Stables," recently owned by Mr. R. L. Myers.

Personal attention will be given the boarding of horses and special care taken of their equipment.

A fine line of carriages will be maintained for Weddings, Receptions and other social occasions.

Orders received for cabs to all parts of the city and the Union Station.

Soliciting your favors, I am, yours respectfully,

'Phone 31. JAMES T. PATTERSON.

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G. Wm. Ramsay.

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Successor to WARFIELD & HALL.

Having purchased the stock and fixtures of Warfield and Hall, I have taken possession of the store lately occupied by them. Past experience of thirty-three years as a pharmacist, undivided time and attention, the purest drugs, and all that pertains to a first class Pharmacy, will be at the command of my patrons.

I, therefore, respectfully solicit the patronage with which they were favored and confidently hope for that of my friends generally.

Prescriptions will receive my personal attention, and the utmost care and accuracy are assured. FRANK WARFIELD.

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At Reduced Prices.

A lot of Girls' Fine Broadcloth Full-length Coats. They have velvet collars and cloth belts, and are lined throughout with white satin. Shown in navy blue, brown and scarlet; sizes 6, 8, 10 and 12.

$12.50 each. Regular price, $24.00.

Also Girls' Blue Wool Batiste Dresses, in two pretty styles.

Special price, $7.50 each.

Regular value, $10.00.

Girls' Reefers of gray worsted, lined throughout; sizes 10, 12 and 14.

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Girls' Long Coats, in plain blue and red and novelty cloths.

Special price, $10.00 each.

We Are Also Showing

Misses' New Spring Suits

In blue and black serge and checked novelty cloths. These are made with short semi-fitting jackets and full plaited skirts.

Sizes 14 to 20, $25.00 each.

Third floor—G st.

Boys' Winter Clothing Reduced.

With the new spring shipments in sight room must be gradually made for their proper display—hence the decisive price reductions on all our lines of boys' suits and overcoats. Some are reduced a third, some nearly a half, and every article is an unusual value.

Below we mention a few interesting items:

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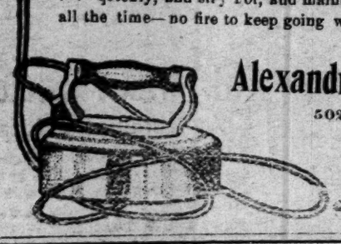

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Alexandria Gazette.

FRIDAY EVENING, FEB. 8, 1907.

"THE ARABIAN NIGHTS."

Sir Richard Burton's Translation of the Tales.

"The Arabian Nights" was first introduced to Europe by a Frenchman named Galland, and the first English versions were simply translations of his. Then a Dr. Scott gave a very superior edition, "occasionally corrected from the Arabic." In 1839, however, appeared an English translation entirely from the Arabic, with copious notes and illustrations. It was Edward William Lane's, a gentleman whose long residence in Egypt had fully qualified him for his work. This translation may be said to have held the field until the appearance of one by Sir Richard Burton. Sir Richard was a daring and successful traveler, who had a remarkable facility in acquiring eastern languages. He performed a pilgrimage to Mecca disguised as a pilgrim, a feat as difficult as it was daring. In 1872 he was appointed to the post of British consul at Triest. Here he applied his knowledge of Arabic to making a faithful translation of "The Arabian Nights Entertainments," supplementing his work with copious notes and terminal essays which have been called a mine of curious and diverting information. Its publication caused a great sensation. Details were freely given that had previously been suppressed. But the accuracy of the translation as a whole was candidly acknowledged, and Burton may be credited with having made into the English language the finest translation of these wonderful Arabian tales.—London Answers.

Saved by a Cipher.

The story is told of how a neatly constructed cipher saved Sir John Trevanion's life. This cavalier was taken prisoner and locked up in Colchester castle to await his execution. On the second day of his confinement the jailer brought him a letter, which, as far as the warder of the castle could discover, was merely a note of condolence from a friend. But the letter had been concocted on a cipher to which Sir John had a clew. Every third letter after a punctuation mark of any kind was to tell. What he made out was this: "Panel at east end of chapel slides." On the following evening the prisoner begged permission to pass a quiet hour in prayer in the chapel. The request was granted, and before the hour had passed the panel had done its work and the bird had flown.

A Bird Performer.

Canaries and other tame birds are sometimes taught to perform tricks, but it always has been regarded almost an impossibility to train a wild bird. Andrew Hume, the famous Scotch bird lover, trained one of the wildest of Scotch birds to perform all sorts of remarkable tricks—to jump and keep time with the skipping rope, to perform on the slack and tight rope, climb an upright rope, stand on top of a running carriage, draw cards out of a box, mount a ladder and ring a bell, go round a wheeling stair step by step and fly to its owner's head when called upon.

Fame and Fortune.

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Barely Remembered.

"I suppose your late uncle didn't fail to remember you in his will," said the sympathetic friend.

"You can hardly call it a remembrance," replied the poor relation. "It was more like a faint recollection!"

Three Years.

"How long," asked the judge of a vagrant negro, "have you been without any means of support?"

"Since my wife died in 1903, suh," responded the darky respectfully.—Lippincott's Magazine.

The Sicilian tyrants never devised a greater punishment than envy. — Juvenal.

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3:07 P. M.—Daily—New York and Atlanta Express—First class coach to Atlanta; sleeper to Columbus, Ga. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays Sunset Route Tourist sleeper Washington to San Francisco.

4:18 P. M.—Week Days—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch.

5:12 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton and Charlottesville.

6:32 P. M.—Week Days—Southern's Palm Limited, solid Pullman to Aiken, Augusta, Savannah, Jacksonville and St. Augustine; sleeper bi-weekly to Charleston. Dining car.

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11:17 P. M.—Daily—New York and New Orleans Limited. All Pullman train, club and observation cars to New Orleans. Sleepers to Asheville, Atlanta, Birmingham and New Orleans. Dining car service.

Through trains from the south arrive at Alexandria 7:18, 8:28 and 8:38 A. M and 2:13, 5:08, 8:28, 11:13 and 11:23 P. M. daily; 9:58 A. M. except Mondays. Harrisonburg 11:38 A. M. week days and 9:03 P M. daily. From Charlottesville 7:58 A. M.

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For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4 35, 8 12 (local), and 11 05 a. m 4:00, 5 07 (local), and 7 41 p. m., week days.

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MEETINGS.

ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the INDEPENDENT STEAMBOAT AND BARGE COMPANY on MONDAY, February 11, 1907, at 3 o'clock p. m., at the company's office No. 117 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and to transact such other business as may properly come before it. Transfer books close on January 31, 1907, and remain closed until February 11, 1907.

JULIUS HUGHE, Secretary.

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THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the VIRGINIA SAFE DEPOSIT & TRUST CORPRATION will be held at the banking house of said corporation on MONDAY, February 11, 1907, at 11 o'clock a. m., for the election of directors and for the transaction of such other business as may legally come before said meeting.

GARDNER L. BOOTHE, Secretary.

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THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the MOUNT VERNON CONSTRUCTION COMPANY will be held at 1:30 o'clock p. m., on MONDAY, the 11th day of February, 1907, at 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia.

ALFRED P. PALMER, Secretary.

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THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the LAND AND RIVER IMPROVEMENT COMPANY of New Alexandria, Va., will be held at 2:30 o'clock p. m. on MONDAY, the 11th day of February, 1907, at 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va.

FREDERICK MERTENS, President.

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THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the WASHINGTON HEIGHTS APARTMENT HOUSE COMPANY will be held at the offices of said company No. 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on TUESDAY, February 12, 1907, at 2:30 o'clock p. m., for the election of Directors and for the transaction of such other business as may legally come before said meeting.

JOHN L. WEAVER, President.

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THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the BURDETTE LAND, LUMBER & COAL COMPANY, Incorporated, will be held at the office of said company, No. 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria Va., on MONDAY, February 18, 1907, at 4 o'clock p. m., for the election of directors and for the transaction of such other business as may legally come before said meeting.

WILLIAM HITZ, Secretary.

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AUCTION SALES.

By Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

BY VIRTUE OF AND PURSUANT TO the terms of a deed of trust, dated July 25th, 1904, executed by John H. Williams and wife, to be undersigned trustee, and of record in deed book No. 51, folia 513, of the land records of the city of Alexandria, Va., and at the request and direction of the party ther-by secured, default having been made in the payment of a note secured by said deed of trust, the undersigned trustee will offer for sale as public auction at the Royal street entrance of the Market Building, in said city, on WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 13th, 1907, at 12 o'clock m, ALL THAT CERTAIN PIECE OF LAND WITH THE BUILDINGS AN IMPROVEMENTS THEREON, situated on the northwest corner of Princess and Patrick streets, and bounded and described as follows:

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